

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Pulliam, Bryan J.

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Group Art Unit:

Examiner

3679 Cottingham,

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Portable Fencing

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John R. RM579b

For:

System and

Components Therefor

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** 

Washington, D.C. 20231

## **AMENDMENT**

Dear Examiner Cottingham:

In response to your Office Action mailed September 24, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

## In the Drawings:

Applicant has included a red-lined corrected drawing of Figure 1 which shows step bracket anchor stake 60 attached to an end of the central post member 54, the s anchor stake 60 having an angled step portion 72 and a stake portion 70 insertable into by stepping on the angled step portion 72. In addition, red-lined corrected d 7A, 7B, 8, 8A indicate that these figures depict prior art.

## In the Specification:

Please replace the original specification with the substitute specification attached. Also attached is a marked-up version of the original specification as required under rule 37 CFR 23 1.121(b)(3)(iii). Pursuant to rule 1.121(f), the substitute specification contains no new matter.